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## REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING (37 CFR 1.194(b))

### Request for Oral Hearing

Appellant hereby requests an oral hearing of the appeal in this application. Appellant respectfully requests that the oral hearing be held via video conference at a suitable facility in Ann Arbor, Michigan in lieu of being held at the Patent and Trademark Office.

### Term for Request

The Examiner's Answer was mailed on June 27, 2008, and the term for filing the request is two months from that mailing date. 37 CFR §1.194(b).

#### Status of Appellant

This application is on behalf of a small entity.

# 4. Fee for Request for Oral Hearing

Pursuant to 37 CFR 41.20(b)(3), the fee for the request of oral hearing is \$515.00. Authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 07-1180 in the amount of \$515.00. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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